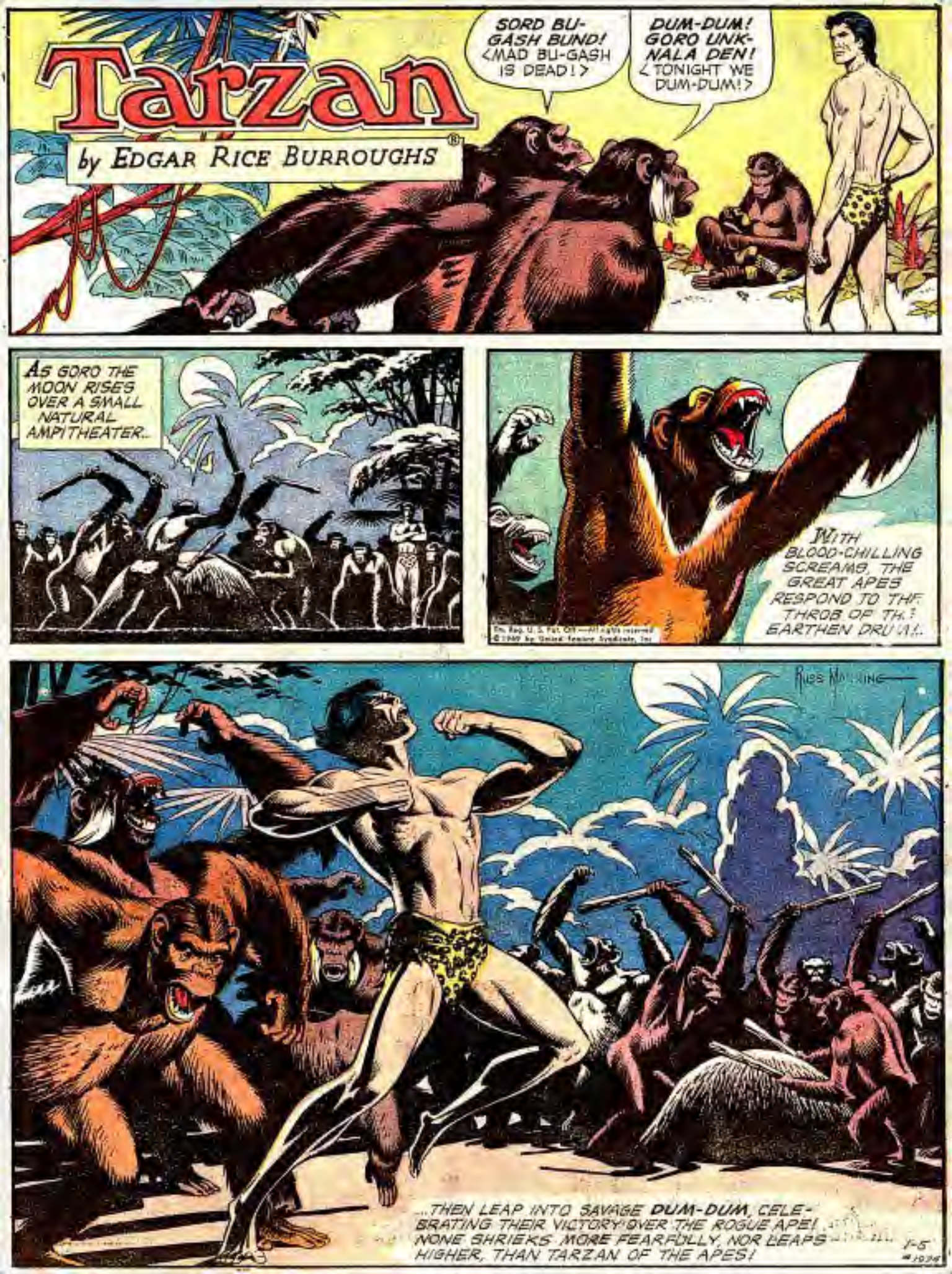
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SORD BU-GASH BUND! <MAD BU-GASH IS DEAD!>
DUM-DUM! GORO UNK-NALA DEN! <TONIGHT WE DUM-DUM!>
AS GORO THE MOON RISES OVER A SMALL NATURAL AMPITHEATER..
WITH BLOOD-CHILLING SCREAMS, THE GREAT APES RESPOND TO THE THROB OF THE EARTHEN DRUM!..
...THEN LEAP INTO SAVAGE DUM-DUM, CELEBRATING THEIR VICTORY OVER THE ROGUE APE! NONE SHRIEKS MORE FEARFULLY, NOR LEAPS HIGHER, THAN TARZAN OF THE APES!

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DUM-DUM...THE FIERCE, WILD, INTOXICATING REVEL OF THE GREAT APES...

KORAK SHOULD HAVE BEEN HERE BY NOW! HE MUST NOT HAVE BEEN CLOSE ENOUGH TO HEAR!

NO SIGN OF TARZAN, YET, JAD! HE STILL MUST BE OUT IN THE DESERT! LISTEN!

ELEPHANTS! SUPPORTING A FEMALE... WOUNDED, MAYBE...OR ABOUT TO GIVE BIRTH! BUT WHERE ARE THEY TAKING HER? YUD! COME, JAD—!

STRAIGHT AT THE CLIFFS! NO.. INTO THEM! THERE'S A HIDDEN CLEFT! BUT WHY WOULD ELEPHANTS GO IN THERE??

EASY, JAD—! I SEE IT, TOO! A... WEIRD GLOW...AHEAD OF TANTOR!

UAH—?!
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WHATEVER IT IS, IT'S LEADING THE ELEPHANTS ...AND YOU DON'T SEEM SCARED OF IT, JAD!
IT... IT HEARD ME—!
IT'S GONE! VANISHED INSTANTLY!
EEEEEEEEEEEEE!
YIII-I-I! RUN, JAD-BAL-JA!
EEEEEEEEEEEE!
WHAT'S THAT?! ECHOES SO MUCH IN THESE CLIFFS I CAN'T— THE GLOW IS BACK AGAIN—
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KREEGAH!!
EEEEEEEE!
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EEEEEEEE!
GO ON, JAD! YOU CAN OUTRUN TANTOR! I CAN'T—!
MADE IT—AND SO DID JAD-BAL-JA!
...AND I'M IN A GOOD POSITION TO MOVE ALONG THE CLIFF AND FIND THAT GLOWING THING...WITHOUT BEING SEEN!
THERE IT IS! ON THE GROUND—!
IT QUIT GLOWING! BUT THIS TIME I CAN STILL SEE IT!
IT...IT'S A WOMAN... I THINK—!
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IT'S A WOMAN... OR A GIRL! AT LEAST THE BODY IS—!
SHE'S WORKING ON SOMETHING ATTACHED TO THE ROBE! CAN'T QUITE SEE—
YI-I!!
CRACK!
UNH—!
RUSS MANNING—2-2
OWW—!

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UNH! MY HEAD—!
THE...THING'S ...GONE! BUT I MUST'VE LAIN UNCONSCIOUS RIGHT BESIDE IT!... MUST NOT BE HOSTILE, WHATEVER... OR WHOEVER... IT IS!
HO, JAD-BAL-JA! WELCOME BACK, FRIEND!
YUD! (COME!) THIS WEIRD BUSINESS WILL WAIT UNTIL WE KNOW WHERE TARZAN IS!
AN HOUR LATER..
RAK, JAD! I SCENT THEM, TOO...COMING THIS WAY!
N'DOROS! THERE'S ONLY ONE REASON THEY'D BE THIS FAR SOUTH... IVORY POACHING! BUT WHY AT NIGHT—?
THAT EXPLAINS IT! THEY SNARED AN ELEPHANT AND COULDN'T WAIT! FILTHY HYENAS!
WE'RE BADLY OUTNUMBERED! BUT TARZAN WOULDN'T LET THEM BUTCHER TANTOR... IF HE WERE HERE—!
BUNDOLO, JAD! (ATTACK!)
TAND, JAD—!
EEEEEEEE!
RUSS MANNING 2-9

TARZAN

Edgar Rice Burroughs

BWANA! THIS IS THE SON OF TARZAN! IS BAD... VERY BAD!
TARZAN? THE ENGLISH LORD WHO WENT NATIVE? HAH! NO, BOMEY... THIS IS GOOD!
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TIE HIM TO A CARRY-POLE! WE'RE TAKING HIM BACK TO CAMP!
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MY BLASTED LUCK'S FINALLY CHANGED! WEEKS SPENT WITHOUT CUTTING A SINGLE TUSK... BECAUSE SOMEONE WAS SCARING AWAY THE ELEPHANTS!
NOW... I'VE GOT HIM!
BUT, BWANA... THIS IS TARZAN'S SON! WE ARE IN JUNGLE PROTECTED BY TARZAN! IS BAD—!
FORGET TARZAN! NO BUSH-HAPPY ENGLISH LORD TELLS CARLOS BRUDER WHAT TO DO!
NOW, PUNK! YOU'RE GOING TO TELL ME WHAT YOU'RE UP TO, OR I'LL BREAK EVERY BONE IN—
WHY, YOU—
STOP IT!
PTOO!
SAME OLD CARLOS! STILL BLAMING SOMEONE ELSE...
...FOR THE FACT THAT YOU'RE A MISERABLY POOR IVORY POACHER!
RED HAIR! IT'S TOO SHORT... BUT COULD SHE BE T GLOWING THING?
RUSS MANNING 2-23

Tarzan
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WE LOST ANOTHER ELEPHANT! SAME BLASTED STORY...THE N'GOROS CLAIM A SPIRIT RELEASED HIM! BUT THIS TIME I CAUGHT THIS PUNK KID BY THE SNARE!
LISTEN, HANDSOME! YOU'LL SAVE YOURSELF A VERY BAD TIME IF YOU TALK—! ARE YOU HUNGRY...THIRSTY?
I... COULD USE SOME WATER!
ARH—! S'WAN, WOMAN— BACK TO YOUR TENT! THIS IS BETWEEN HIM AND ME!
NOW, KID—YOU'RE GOING TO TELL ME HOW.. AND WHY...YOU'VE BEEN SCARING MY HUNTERS... AND RELEASING MY ELEPHANTS—!
A STRANGE GLOW FRIGHTENED YOUR MEN... AND IF THAT SNARE WAS YOURS, TARZAN IS GOING TO LAND ON YOU LIKE A HERD OF ELEPHANTS!
TARZAN, AGAIN! AWRIGHT! THIS TARZAN ISN'T GOING TO CAUSE ANY TROUBLE AS LONG AS I HOLD YOU! AND YOU DON'T HAVE TO TELL ME A THING ...UNLESS YOU WANT WATER...OR FOOD—!
TIE HIM IN THE SUPPLY TENT...AND GUARD HIM GOOD!
LATER THAT NIGHT...
IT'S ME, HANDSOME... BURGUNDY! I THINK WE CAN HELP EACH OTHER—!
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HOW'D YOU GET PAST THE—
THE GUARDS HATE CARLOS AS MUCH AS I DO! HERE!..I'LL TRY TO BRING FOOD LATER!
ENOUGH? GOOD... NOW, LISTEN—! I NEED SOMEONE TO GET ME OUT OF HERE...AWAY FROM CARLOS! THIS STUFF ABOUT SPIRITS SCARING AWAY ELEPHANTS IS DRIVING HIM CRAZY... MEAN...!
SOMEONE SCARED THEM! I SAW HER! A WOMAN...ABOUT YOUR SIZE... RED-HAIRED, LIKE YOU!
AND YOU THINK THAT I—?!! IS EVERYONE OUT HERE CRAZY? WELL, FORGET IT! I HAVEN'T BEEN TEN FEET FROM MY TENT!
THINK IT OVER, HANDSOME! YOU AND I LEAVE TOMORROW NIGHT...
OR YOU STAY TIED RIGHT THERE UNTIL 'BORN LOSER' COMES LOOKING FOR SOMEONE TO BLAME HIS LATEST MISTAKE ON!
SHE'S GONE—!
UAH! I FOUND YOUR TRAIL JUST IN TIME! OR DO YOU STILL THINK YOU CAN HANDLE THIS ALONE?
RUSS MANNING
3-9

Tarzan
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THE GLOWING WOMAN...OR THING... IS REAL, TARZAN! I SAW IT—!
I'VE HEARD STORIES ABOUT THIS AREA, KORAK! HUGE HERDS OF ELEPHANTS...BUT THE LOCAL TRIBES REFUSE TO HUNT THEM!
I'M CERTAIN THE SECRET OF THE GLOWING "SPIRITS" IS IN THIS CAMP, TARZAN...AND I'M SAFE AS LONG AS CARLOS THINKS HE NEEDS ME TO KEEP YOU OFF HIS BACK!
VERY WELL, SON! I'LL BE NEAR...BUT OUT OF SIGHT! GOOD HUNTING!
DAWN..
BWANA! WE FOUND TEMBO! BIG HERD...MANY HEAVY TUSKS! HURRY!
BURGUNDY! YOU UP—?
GET DRESSED FOR THE BUSH! YOU'RE GOING WITH ME!
HURRY, TASSI! I MUST KEEP HIM IN A GOOD MOOD TODAY... EVEN OUT IN THAT STINKING JUNGLE! UGH!
POOR LADY!
DON'T FORGET NOW...TAKE FOOD AND WATER TO THE BOY...AND PACK A LIGHT BAG, READY FOR TONIGHT!
YES, LADY!
I TOLD YOU CATCHING THAT PUNK KID CHANGED MY LUCK! NOBODY'S GONNA KEEP ME FROM CUTTING TUSKS TODAY!
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HURRY, BWANA... BEFORE TEMBO GETS TOO DEEP IN THE SWAMP FOR US TO FOLLOW!
CARLOS.. WAIT! I CAN'T KEEP UP THROUGH THIS... AWFUL STUFF—!
ARRH! YOU'RE SLOWING US DOWN TOO MUCH! YOU'LL HAVE TO STAY HERE!
SEE THAT SHE DOESN'T MOVE FROM THIS SPOT!
NOT SAFE, BWANA... TOO LITTLE LIGHT!
S'ALL RIGHT! I CAN SEE ENOUGH TO DROP 'EM! READY—!
EEEEEEE!
RUN, BWANA!
BEHIND TREES—!!
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RUN, BWANA!
BLAM!
BLAM!
AS BRUDER CUTS LOOSE WITH HIS HEAVY RIFLE, AND MISSES WITH BOTH BARRELS...
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YII-I-I! DON'T LEAVE ME! I'LL FALL—!
THE WOMAN YOU LEFT ON THE TRAIL IS IN THE PATH OF THE ELEPHANTS!
GONE—! AND SO ARE THE N'DOROS!
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THE WOMAN AND N'DOROS ARE NOT IN TANTOR'S WAY... BUT THE CAMP WHERE KORAK IS HELD PRISONER IS!
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WHO—?
THE LADY TOLD ME TO BRING FOOD! I... AM HER SERVANT!
LISTEN—! ELEPHANTS STAMPEDING— THIS WAY!!
WAIT—! UNTIE ME! UNTIE ME—! COME BACK!
R-R-RIP!
TARZAN! LOOK—!
THE GLOW! IT'S TURNING TANTOR ASIDE!
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THAT'S THE GLOWING THING I TOLD YOU ABOUT, TARZAN! SOMEHOW IT CAN CONTROL TANTOR!
THE GLOW VANISHED!
IT ALWAYS DOES! DON'T LET IT GET AWAY, TARZAN!
NOTHING HERE! THE TENTS—?
OH!
OOF!
THE SERVANT GIRL! AND I WAS SURE IT WAS BURGUN—
DON'T MOVE... EITHER OF YOU!
Russ Manning

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BWANA! IS BAD... VERY BAD! THAT IS TARZAN! THIS IS HIS JUNGLE!
DON'T MEAN NUTHIN' TO ME! THIS'LL STOP AN ELEPHANT!
THAT WIG PROVES YOU'RE THE ONES' BEEN KEEPING ME FROM CUTTING A FORTUNE IN IVORY, YOU BUSH-HAPPY SAVAGES! NOW YOU'RE GOING TO—
EEEEE
ANOTHER ONE—!??
EEEEEEEEEE!
SHOOT—
THUD!
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OH! I...I NEVER DREAMED ANYONE COULD MOVE THAT FAST!
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EEE—! STOP! I CAN GET DOWN VERY WELL BY MYSELF!
JUST REMEMBER WHEN WE REPORT, GANDIE...THAT IT WAS YOU WHO REVEALED EVERYTHING TO THESE OUTSIDERS!
PHOO! THE OLD ONES WILL REWARD US FOR FINDING OUTLANDERS WHO HELP PROTECT OUR ELEPHANTS!
YOUR ELEPHANTS!?
OF COURSE! THIS IS OUR SACRED HERD! THEY KNOW AND OBEY US!
AND WE PROTECT THEM BY EVERY MEANS POSSIBLE!
WE EVEN JOIN THE POACHERS.. AS I DID CARLOS!
GAS...RELEASED FROM A SMALL TANK, LIT BY A RED SPOTLIGHT... AND A SIREN... ALL BATTERY-OPERATED!
..AND WE USE YOUR OUTLANDER MACHINES WHEN WE MUST!
YOU SPEAK OF US AS OUTLANDERS! YET I KNOW OF NO RACE LIKE YOURS IN THIS AREA!
YOU ARE THE FIRST WE HAVE EVER ALLOWED TO KNOW OF US!
WE TRUST YOU... AND INVITE YOU TO TEMBO-HAVEN...OUR HIDDEN VALLEY AND CITY!
A SECRET WORLD!! ...WE'D BE THE FIRST OUTSIDERS EVER TO SEE IT, RIGHT?! TARZAN—WE MUST GO WITH THEM!
I HAVE BEEN TOO LONG FROM HOME, KORAK...AND THIS POACHER MUST BE BANISHED FROM OUR JUNGLE!
RUSS MANNING 4-27
THEN I GO ALONE!
GOOD! YOU WILL COME WITH ME!
NO SISTER! I FOUND HIM FIRST! I WILL SHOW HIM!

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YOU HAVEN'T SAID WHAT YOU THINK ABOUT MY GOING WITH THEM, TARZAN!
WOULD YOU LISTEN IF I DID? YOU'RE AS STUBBORN AS A YOUNG BULL APE... BUT BRAVE ...AND BROTHER TO THE JUNGLE! GO, IF YOU WISH!
YOU ARE BETTER WITH ELEPHANTS THAN I AM, TASS!! CATCH US A RIDE!
LEAVING YOU WITH OUR GUEST?! NO, SISTER! WE SHALL BOTH CATCH TEMBO! COME—!
GOOD HUNTING, TARZAN! TELL MOTHER NOT TO WORRY!
GOOD HUNTING, KORAK!
IN THE NARROW ENTRANCE TO THE HIDDEN VALLEY, TASSI POINTS OUT THE ALMOST INVISIBLE LEDGE SHE USED TO MAKE THE GLOW SEEM TO FLOAT...
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HOURS LATER, DEEP IN UNCHARTED MOUNTAINS, SWIRLING MIST PARTS TO REVEAL TEMBO-HAVEN, RISING ABOVE A BOTTOMLESS ABYSS!

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HERE WE LEAVE KORAK AND HIS LOVELY ENIGMATIC COMPANIONS...
OUR STORY TURNS TO TARZAN OF THE APES, WHO GATHERS THE FRIGHTENED N'DOROS FROM THE JUNGLE, AND WAITS FOR THE IVORY POACHERS TO BREAK CAMP..
THEN DELIVERS THEM TO THE WAZIRI TO BE ESCORTED FAR BEYOND THE BORDERS OF HIS DOMAIN.
TARZAN'S HEART IS LIGHT AS HE TAKES TO THE TREEWAYS... AT LONG LAST HE IS FREE TO RETURN TO HOME AND MATE!
JANE!
A NOTE— FROM JANE ?!
DEAREST JOHN, YOU HAVE BEEN GONE SO LONG, AND NOW OUR SON HAS GONE INTO THE JUNGLE, TOO. I CANNOT STAY HERE ANY LONGER. I LONG FOR SHOPS AND SHOWS AND NO INSECTS! I AM GOING TO OUR LONDON HOUSE. PLEASE JOIN ME. YOUR LOVING, AND LONELY, JANE
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LADY JANE IS GONE—?
YES, LORD GREYSTOKE! WHEN HER BIG HUT WAS FULL OF HER FAMILY, SHE WAS HAPPY! WHEN YOU WERE GONE, SHE VISITED THE VILLAGE AND SCHOOL ... AND WORKED...BUT IN THE MORNING, HER EYES WERE RED!
WHEN DID JANE LEAVE, M'BELA?
FIVE DAYS AGO, LORD GREYSTOKE! MUVIRO AND THE WAZIRI ESCORTED HER TO THE COAST...BUT MUVIRO HAS NOT COME BACK YET!
THEN PERHAPS I CAN STILL CATCH THEM—!
TARZAN! THIS MAN AND HIS SAFARI HAVE BEEN WAITING FOR YOU!
LORD GREYSTOKE: I MUST—
THIS IS MY WORLD! JUNGLE AND VELDT ARE WHERE I BELONG!
BUT THEY ARE MEANINGLESS WITHOUT MY MATE!
MANY HOURS LATER..
THE OLD TREEHOUSE IS NEAR...BUT I MUST NOT EVEN THINK OF— UAH! THAT SCENT—!
RUSS MANNING
JANE—!
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KREEGAH!
Tarzan
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RARGH!
BUNDOLO SHEETA—!
SCROW!
JANE! YOU DIDN'T LEAVE—!
I...I JUST COULDN'T, JOHN! MY PLACE IS BESIDE MY HUSBAND...
AND IT DOESN'T MATTER WHETHER YOU ARE JOHN CLAYTON, LORD OF THE HOUSE OF GREYSTOKE, OR TARZAN... A SAVAGE BEAST I SOMETIMES DON'T UNDERSTAND AT ALL!
LATER...
EEEE! WHICH ARE YOU BEING NOW? GENTLEMAN JOHN... OR TARZAN OF THE APES—?
KEEP GUESSING!
AND LATER STILL, IN THE VELVET JUNGLE NIGHT, TARZAN AND HIS MATE PLEDGE THEIR LOVE... AND ONLY GORO THE MOON, IS THEIR WITNESS.
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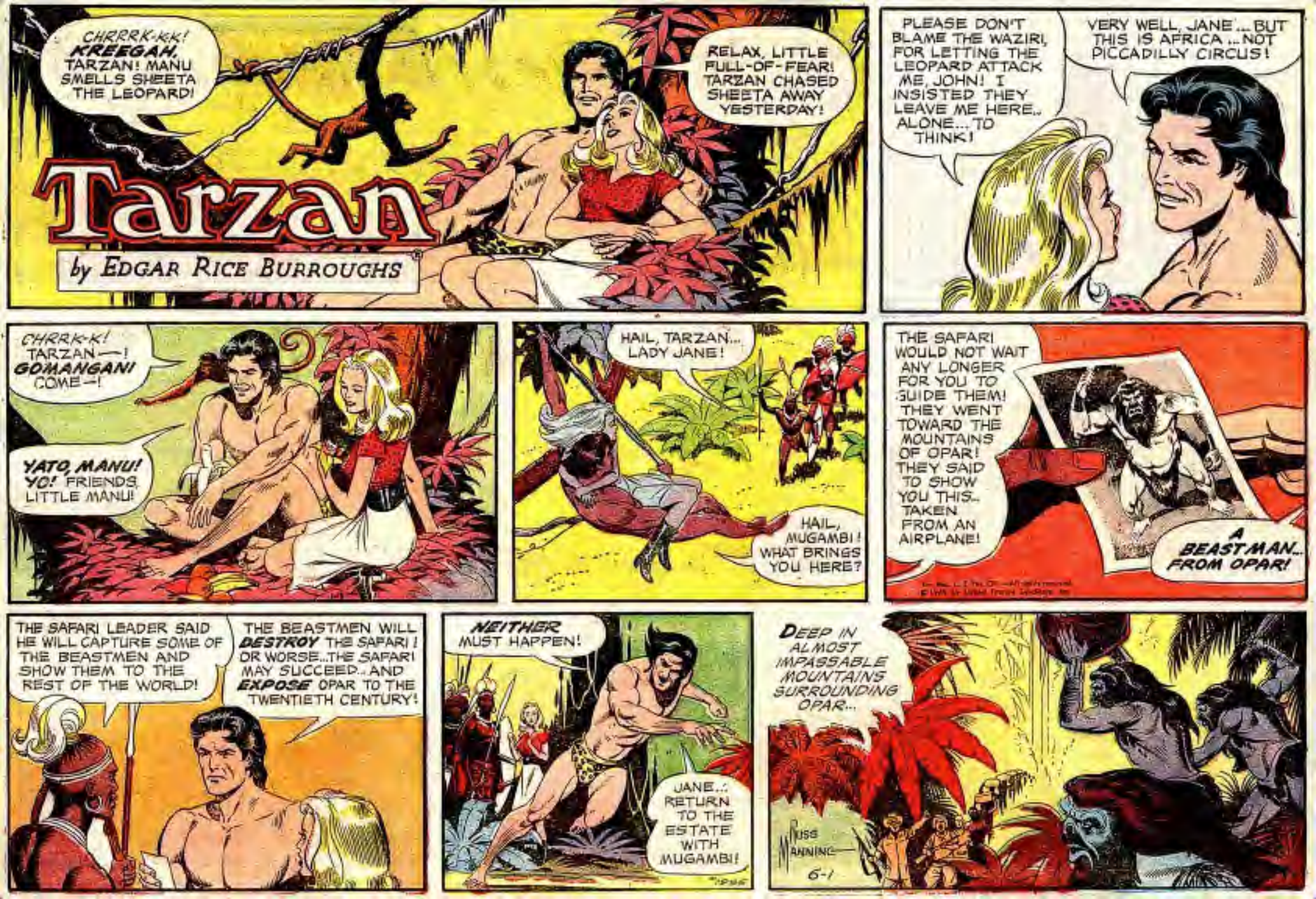
CHRRRK-KK! KREEGAH, TARZAN! MANU SMELLS SHEETA THE LEOPARD!
RELAX, LITTLE FULL-OF-FEAR! TARZAN CHASED SHEETA AWAY YESTERDAY!
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PLEASE DON'T BLAME THE WAZIRI, FOR LETTING THE LEOPARD ATTACK ME, JOHN! I INSISTED THEY LEAVE ME HERE.. ALONE... TO THINK!
VERY WELL, JANE... BUT THIS IS AFRICA ... NOT PICCADILLY CIRCUS!
CHRRK-K! TARZAN—! GOMANGANI COME—!
YATO, MANU! YO! FRIENDS, LITTLE MANU!
HAIL, TARZAN... LADY JANE!
HAIL, MUGAMBI! WHAT BRINGS YOU HERE?
THE SAFARI WOULD NOT WAIT ANY LONGER FOR YOU TO GUIDE THEM! THEY WENT TOWARD THE MOUNTAINS OF OPAR! THEY SAID TO SHOW YOU THIS.. TAKEN FROM AN AIRPLANE!
A BEASTMAN... FROM OPAR!
THE SAFARI LEADER SAID HE WILL CAPTURE SOME OF THE BEASTMEN AND SHOW THEM TO THE REST OF THE WORLD!
THE BEASTMEN WILL DESTROY THE SAFARI! OR WORSE...THE SAFARI MAY SUCCEED.. AND EXPOSE OPAR TO THE TWENTIETH CENTURY!
NEITHER MUST HAPPEN!
JANE...: RETURN TO THE ESTATE WITH MUGAMBI!
DEEP IN ALMOST IMPASSABLE MOUNTAINS SURROUNDING OPAR...
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IT'S THE BEASTMEN— WE'VE FOUND THEM! GET THE NETS UP HERE! WE'LL CAPTURE AT LEAST ONE—
CAPTURE—!! THEY'RE TRYING TO BRAIN US, YOU FOOL! SHOOT TO KILL—!
BAM!
UNH! BLAST 'EM DOWN— BEFORE THEY MASSACRE US! WE'LL CAPTURE ONE LATER!
SHOOT, BOBBY! PROVE YOU'RE A MAN... BEFORE IT'S TOO LATE!
BAM!
YEAH—? OR WOULD I JUST PROVE I DON'T WANT TO DIE—
LOOK!! ABOVE THE BEASTMEN!
BUNDOLO!
BAM! BLAM!
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BLAM!
BUNDOLO—!!

TOO MANY OF THEM, BOBBY! SURRENDER—!
TAND!

TAND! TAND KOB!
IS...IS SHE CALLING THEM OFF?

KOR, TAR-MANGANI! UNK OPAR!
WHAT? WHAT IS THAT SHE'S SPEAKING?
NEVER HEARD ANYTHING LIKE IT! BARBARIC...BUT PARTLY CIVILIZED! WE MAY STILL HAVE A CHANCE...WITH HER!

WE MUST HAVE HIT ONE OF THE WOMEN! SHE'S WOUNDED...AND THEY'RE JUST LEAVING HER!
OOH-!

DAN-DO, TAR-MANGANI!

COME BACK HERE, BOY! YOU'LL GET US KILLED!
NO, DAD! SHE'S HURT... AND WE DID IT! I'VE GOT TO HELP HER!
Russ Manning 6-15

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OOH-!
BE CAREFUL, BOBBY! THE BEASTMEN MAY HAVE A REASON FOR ABANDONING THEIR WOUNDED!
THE BULLET JUST GRAZED HER HEAD! ..BAD HEADACHE... PROBABLY TOO DIZZY TO WALK!
WE'LL HAVE TO MAKE A STRETCHER!
HE'S NUTS! DON'T GET THAT WALKING JEWELRY STORE ANY MADDER THAN SHE ALREADY IS!
WE MAY NEED ALL THE GOOD WILL WE CAN GET! GIVE BOBBY YOUR SHIRT, CRAGGER! HURRY!
PRISONERS OF THE RACE OF "BEASTMEN" THEY HAD HOPED TO CAPTURE AND EXPLOIT...
..THE THREE MEN ARE FORCED ACROSS SWAMPS AND UP ALMOST PERPENDICULAR CRAGS!
AT LAST, STAGGERING IN UTTER WEARINESS, THEY COME TO THE WALLS OF AN ANCIENT CITY BROODING IN BLOOD-RED SILENCE BENEATH THE SETTING SUN.
6-22
SO NOW WE KNOW WHY...
..THEY ABANDON THEIR WOUNDED!

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THIS PLACE IS LIKE A FORTRESS...OR A PRISON! ONCE WE'RE IN, WE MAY NEVER GET OUT!
I'M... AFRAID WE HAVE NO CHOICE, BOBBY!
THE BEASTMEN COULDN'T HAVE BUILT THIS CITY! BUT... WHO DID?
DON'T KNOW! I'VE NEVER SEEN ANYTHING LIKE IT—!
LISTEN—!
CHILDREN—? SQUEALING... COMING THIS— NO! LOOK—!
OOOO! POR! POR!
VANDO ATAN—!
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VANDO ATAN—!
POR! POR!
HEY—!
AARGH!!
AARGH!!
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TARZAN

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AT THAT MOMENT, THE OBJECT OF THE SUDDEN CONCERN IN OPAR IS WORKING HIS WAY OVER THE ALMOST UNCLIMBABLE CRAGS ISOLATING THAT CITY FROM THE REST OF THE WORLD...

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NEAR THE WALLS OF OPAR, TARZAN CLIMBS A GREAT OUTCROPPING OF GRANITE AND UNCOVERS THE ENTRANCE TO A NARROW CLEFT LEADING DOWNWARD INTO THE ROCK...
IT HAS BEEN MANY YEARS SINCE I LAST USED THIS SECRET ENTRANCE TO THE CITY OF OPAR!
THE TREASURE VAULT OF OPAR! SOURCE OF THE WEALTH OF TARZAN... SO HUGE I HAVEN'T MADE THE SLIGHTEST DENT IN IT!
THE THREE CAPTIVES AREN'T IN THE DUNGEON! EITHER THE BEASTMEN ARE HOLDING THEM IN THEIR QUARTERS...
...OR QUEEN LA HOLDS THEM... ABOVE, IN THE PRIESTESS QUARTERS... AND THAT WILL BE THE EASIEST TO CHECK!
AH! I CATCH HER SCENT—!
QUEEN LA IS IN HER CHAMBERS.. ALONE!
RUSS MANNING
7-13

I DON'T SCENT THE THREE CAPTIVES... BUT QUEEN LA IS IN HER CHAMBERS— UAH! ANOTHER SCENT—
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BEASTMEN!
AGH-!
UNK-NALA! CLIMB! SWIFTLY! I CANNOT HOLD YOU LONG-!
TARZAN! OH, TARZAN! YUD RAND LA! YOU HAVE COME BACK TO QUEEN LA!
I STILL LOVE YOU, TARZAN!
WE WON'T SPEAK OF THAT NOW, LA!
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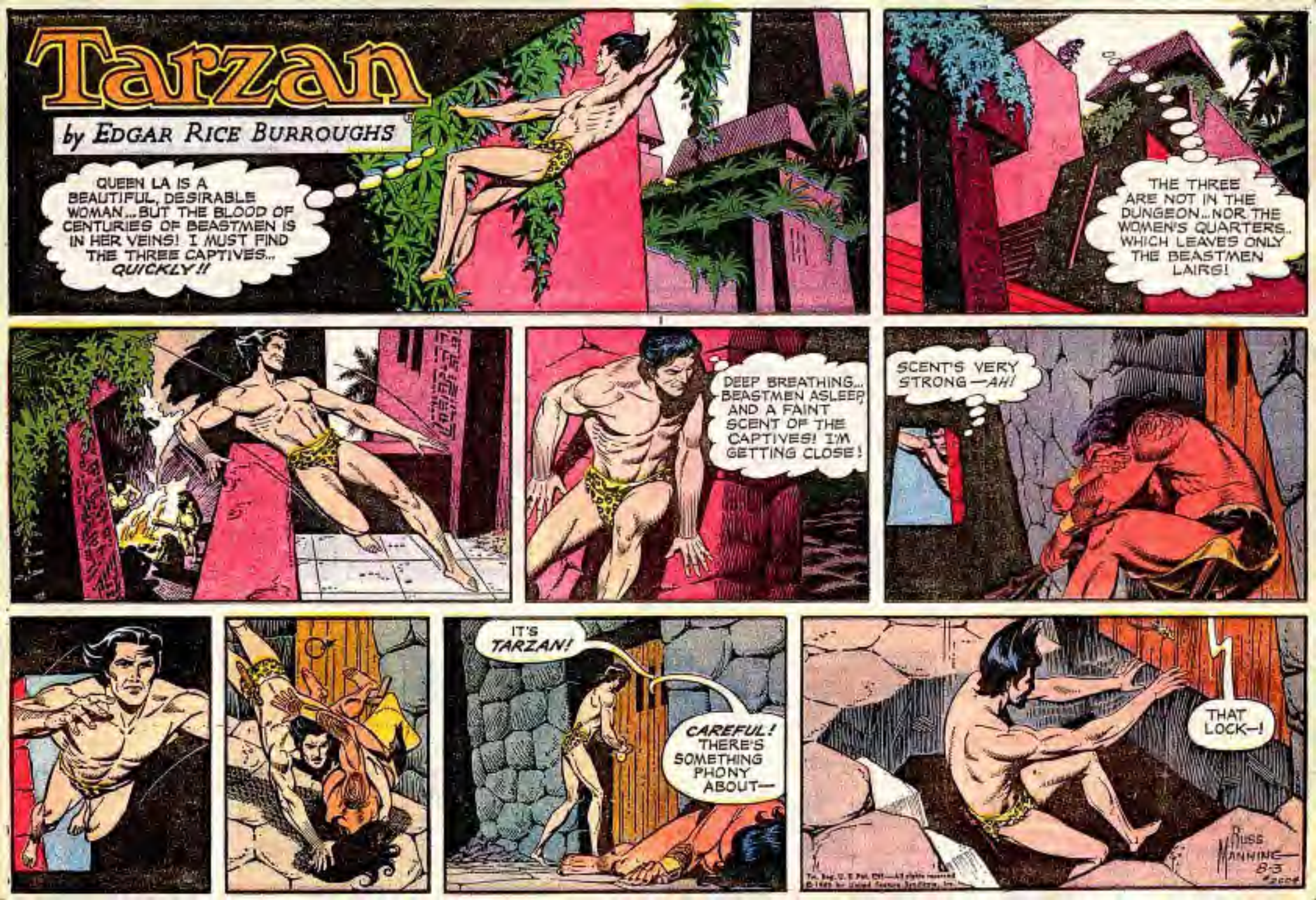
OH, TARZAN! TAND GREE-AH LA? IF YOU DO NOT LOVE LA, WHY DO YOU RETURN TO TEAR LA'S POOR HEART?
TAND YUTO THUB! I WOULD NEVER HARM YOU, LA!
DANDO! KREEGAH! THE BEASTMEN MIGHT SEE YOU HERE! BIND THE ONE YOU STRUCK UNCONSCIOUS.. AND COME INTO MY CHAMBERS!
OPAR GOGO LA POR! THE BEASTMEN DEMAND THAT LA WED THEIR HIGH PRIEST! BUT I CAN'T.. I CAN'T! NOT AFTER I'VE KNOWN YOU!
EVEN BEFORE I FIRST SAW YOU, I DREAMED OF SUCH A MAN AS YOU! TALL... BEAUTIFUL... LIKE THE FOREBEARS OF MY RACE MUST HAVE BEEN...BEFORE THEY SANK TO... BEASTMEN!
BUT THE QUEEN MAY CHOOSE HER OWN MATE...THE ANCIENT LAWS SAY SO! AND LONG AGO, MY HEART CHOSE YOU!
TAND, LA! IT CANNOT BE! I LOVE ANOTHER!
AND YOU ALWAYS WILL! THE ANCIENTS UNDERSTOOD! THEY SAID LOVE IS A GIFT OF THE GODS OF CHANCE...
...AND TO LA THEY GAVE SORROW! BUT IT IS SWEET SORROW... THE ONLY SWEETNESS I HAVE EVER KNOWN!
WHERE ARE THE THREE OUTLANDERS YOU CAPTURED, LA?
THAT IS WHY YOU RETURNED TO OPAR? I DO NOT KNOW WHERE THE BEASTMEN TOOK THEM...NOR DO I CARE...!
I..I WISH I HAD LET YOU FALL!
7-27
RUSS MANNING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QUEEN LA IS A BEAUTIFUL, DESIRABLE WOMAN... BUT THE BLOOD OF CENTURIES OF BEASTMEN IS IN HER VEINS! I MUST FIND THE THREE CAPTIVES... QUICKLY!!
THE THREE ARE NOT IN THE DUNGEON... NOR THE WOMEN'S QUARTERS.. WHICH LEAVES ONLY THE BEASTMEN LAIRS!
DEEP BREATHING... BEASTMEN ASLEEP, AND A FAINT SCENT OF THE CAPTIVES! I'M GETTING CLOSE!
SCENT'S VERY STRONG—AH!
IT'S TARZAN!
CAREFUL! THERE'S SOMETHING PHONY ABOUT—
THAT LOCK—!
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TARZAN TWISTS IN MID-AIR LIKE A CAT... AND AS HE LANDS ON HIS FEET BELOW THE TRAP DOOR...
RARGH!
KREE-GAH!!
NUMA IS STARVING! HE WILL ATTACK UNTIL ONE OF US FINISHES THE OTHER!
BRAVE NUMA! BATTLE TO THE DEATH WAS OUR ONLY CHOICE! THE BEASTMEN PLANNED—
HO REM! VANDO! FOUR CAPTIVES! THE FLAMING GOD WILL DOUBLY BLESS MY WEDDING!
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HAIL CADJ!
CADJ! GUND! HIGH PRIEST, SOON TO BE KING!
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RET TARZAN! BIND HIM AND THROW HIM IN WITH THE OTHERS!
HAIL CADJ! GANDO TARZAN! CONQUEROR OF TARZAN!
ARO!
TARZAN! THEY GOT YOU, TOO!
MOUSE-TRAPPED.. JUST LIKE US! AND YOU WANTED HIM TO GUIDE THE SAFARI!
WHAT KIND OF PLACE IS THIS?... AND WHAT ARE THOSE BEASTMEN—?
AND THAT FANTASTIC WOMAN..THE GORGEOUS WILD WITCH WHO ACTS LIKE BOSS?
THE GORGEOUS WITCH COULD ONLY HAVE BEEN LA, QUEEN OF OPAR! THIS CITY WAS BUILT TEN THOUSAND YEARS AGO BY HER ANCESTORS... THE PEOPLE OF ATLANTIS!
ATLANTIS!?
WHAT-? THOSE BEASTMEN-?
OPAR IS ALL THAT REMAINS OF THE EMPIRE LOST WHEN ATLANTIS SANK BENEATH THE SEA—!
THE MEN HAVE DEGENERATED INTO SOMETHING LITTLE BETTER THAN BEASTS.. VIOLENT... BLOODTHIRSTY... FILTHY... WITHOUT THE HONEST INSTINCTS OF TRUE ANIMALS!
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THE WOMEN OF OPAR HAVE NOT REVERTED TO SAVAGERY AS COMPLETELY AS THE MEN...AND QUEEN LA'S FOREMOTHERS HAVE ALWAYS BEEN HIGH PRIESTESSES, THE NOBLEST OF THE RACE, WHO CHOSE THE BEST MEN FOR MATES! SHE—
LISTEN—!
BEASTMEN COMING! DO WE FIGHT—? OR LET THEM TAKE US?
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RET! REM ARGO GUND!
FIGHT! THEY'RE TAKING US TO SACRIFICE—!
BUT BEASTMEN SWARM INTO THE CELL UNTIL EVEN THE MIGHTY APE-MAN GOES DOWN!
...AND THEY ARE LED, BATTERED AND BOUND, TO A MACABRE HALL! ON A RED-STAINED ALTAR, WAITS QUEEN LA...
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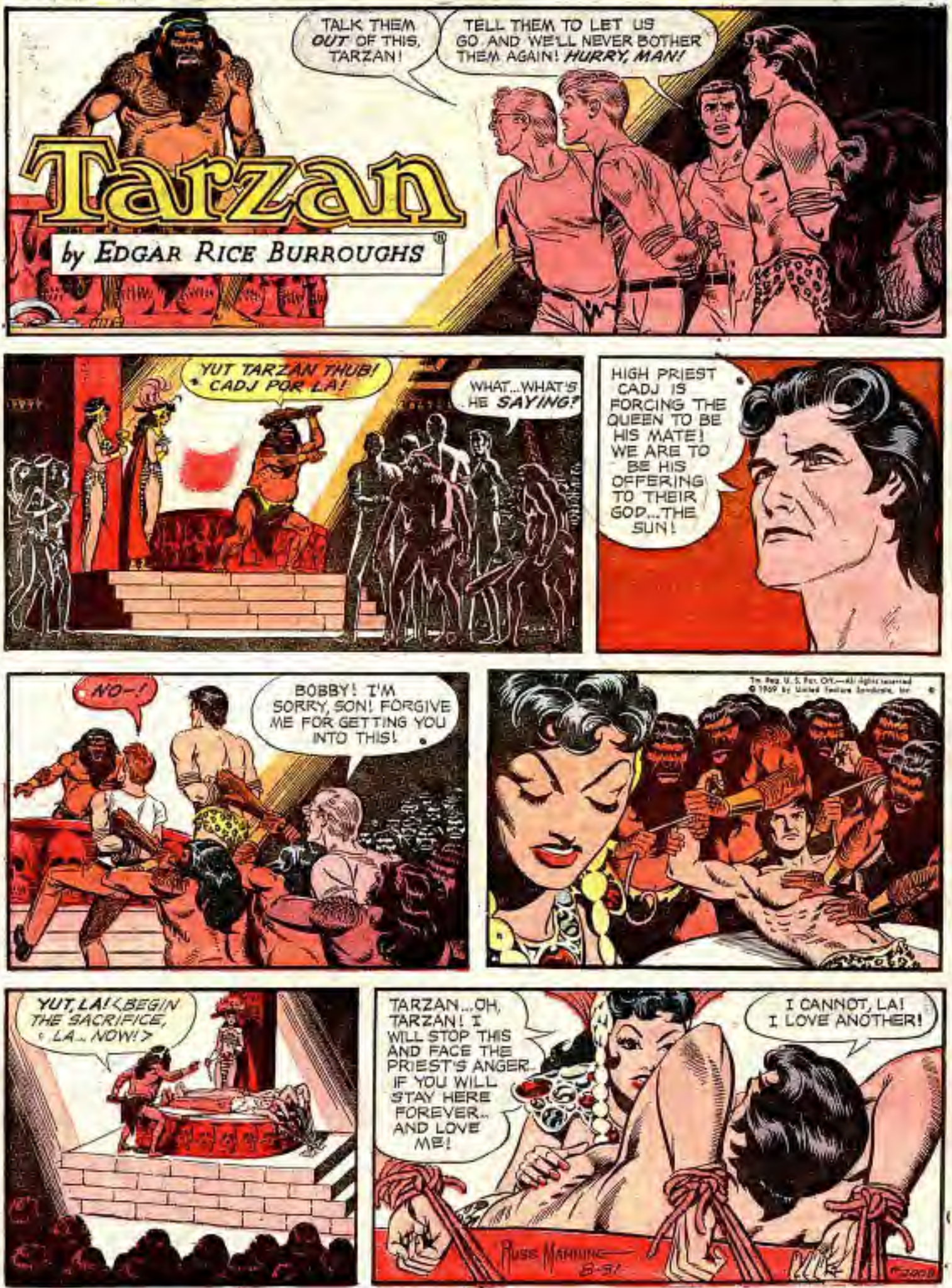
TALK THEM OUT OF THIS, TARZAN!
TELL THEM TO LET US GO AND WE'LL NEVER BOTHER THEM AGAIN! HURRY, MAN!
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YUT TARZAN THUB! CADJ POR LA!
WHAT...WHAT'S HE SAYING?
HIGH PRIEST CADJ IS FORCING THE QUEEN TO BE HIS MATE! WE ARE TO BE HIS OFFERING TO THEIR GOD...THE SUN!
NO-!
BOBBY! I'M SORRY, SON! FORGIVE ME FOR GETTING YOU INTO THIS!
YUT, LA! <BEGIN THE SACRIFICE, LA... NOW!>
TARZAN...OH, TARZAN! I WILL STOP THIS AND FACE THE PRIEST'S ANGER IF YOU WILL STAY HERE FOREVER.. AND LOVE ME!
I CANNOT, LA! I LOVE ANOTHER!
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YUT, LA! START THE SACRIFICE, LA! ..OR I WILL DO IT!
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TAND! NO! I CAN'T KILL THE ONLY BEAUTIFUL THING IN MY LIFE—!
GOM! FLEE, TARZAN! LEAVE OPAR...FOREVER!
YAA!—!
REALIZING THE FUTILITY OF BATTLING THE MASS OF BEASTMEN, TARZAN GRABS HIGH PRIEST CADJ AND LEAPS UP THE ALTAR PILLAR...
..BUT, AS HIS WEIGHT BEARS DOWN ON THE EDGE OF A CEILING OPENING, LONG-UNUSED LEVERS CREAK-- EXPOSING A GIANT SUN LENS!
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ARGO GUND!
KREE-GAH!!
ARGO!
KREE-GAH!
GOM!
FRANTIC WITH FEAR, THE HIGH PRIEST BREAKS FREE OF TARZAN'S GRASP, AND THE SUDDEN SHIFT OF WEIGHT CHANGES THE FOCUS OF THE LENS!
GOM!
GOM!
BRAXTON! STOP! YOU'RE SAFE FOR THE MOMENT! THE BEASTMEN HAVE ALL FLED!
WHAT... WHAT IS THAT LIGHT?
I DON'T KNOW! PERHAPS THE ANCIENT ATLANTEANS BUILT AND USED IT... AND THE BEASTMEN NEVER KNEW IT EXISTED! COME! WE'LL FREE THE BOY—
UAH!
BOBBY—!
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BOBBY'S GONE! HOW? WHO CUT HIM LOOSE?
I DON'T CARE HOW MANY BEASTMEN ARE OUT THERE! WE'VE GOT TO FIND BOBBY!
I UNDERSTAND! BUT I CAN LOOK FOR HIM BETTER ALONE! COME WITH ME... QUICKLY!
DEEP BENEATH THE ANCIENT CITY...
WAIT IN HERE...THE CHAMBER OF THE ANCIENT DEAD! THE BEASTMEN ARE AFRAID TO COME NEAR!
BEASTMEN PRIESTS ARE STILL MILLING AROUND THE TEMPLE OF SACRIFICE! THEY DON'T HAVE YOUNG BRAXTON!
QUEEN LA...OR THE PRIESTESSES... MAY HAVE TAKEN HIM—!
TAND! (HE IS MINE!)

DAN-DO! RO-ZA POR TA ATAN!
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DAN-DO! UNK, ZA!
TARZAN! WAIT! SHE'S THE ONE I DOCTORED...AFTER WE SHOT HER!
RO-ZA! VANDO ATAN POR RO-ZA!
WHAT'S SHE SAYING?
RO-ZA CLAIMS YOU! POOR CREATURES! ANY DECENT MAN LOOKS LIKE A GOD TO THEM... DOOMED AS THEY ARE TO BE THE MATES OF BEASTMEN!
YOU MEAN ONE OF THOSE FILTHY, HAIRY— NO! SHE... SHE'S TOO BEAUTIFUL! I CAN'T LET THAT HAPPEN TO HER!
SHE IS OPARIAN! THE BLOOD OF COUNTLESS GENERATIONS OF BEAST-MEN IS IN HER VEINS!
I DON'T CARE! SHE RISKED HER LIFE TO RESCUE ME FROM BEING CARVED ON THAT ALTAR! WE'VE CHOSEN EACH OTHER!
I'M NOT GOING WITHOUT HER!
VERY WELL! YOU ARE BOTH OLD ENOUGH TO CHOOSE YOUR FATE! COME!
THE QUEEN!
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TARZAN TAND-UNK! A BARGAIN, TARZAN! STAY WITH LA..AND I WILL SEE THAT THE OUTLANDERS LEAVE SAFELY!
LA GOGO VANDO! I BELIEVE YOU, LA... BUT NOT EVEN YOU CAN CONTROL CADJ AND THE BEASTMEN OF OPAR!
ATAN UNK, LA! TAKE YOUR PRIESTS AWAY, LA! WE'RE LEAVING OPAR!
TAND! NO, TARZAN! LA BEGGED YOU TO BE HER MATE! YOU REFUSED! NOW BE HER PRISONER!
FOLLOW ME, BOBBY! SMASH THROUGH— OR WE'RE DEAD!!
AARGH!
KOB! KOB TARZAN! REM! RET!
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BUNDOLO!!
WAP!
YEAH, RO-ZA! WE... MIGHT MAKE IT... YET—!
RUN, BOBBY... DOWN THE STAIRS!
QUICKLY OUTRUNNING THE BOW-LEGGED, SHAMBLING BEASTMEN, THE TRIO RACES INTO THE BOWELS OF THE ANCIENT CITY...
YOU FOUND HIM! THANK YOU, TARZAN... THANK YOU!
BUT... WHO'S THAT WITH—
THIS IS RO-ZA, DAD! SHE SAVED ME... CUT ME FREE FROM THE ALTAR! I'M... TAKING HER WITH US!
YOU'RE... WHAT!? THAT LITTLE... SAVAGE—?
YOU WILL NOT! WE'RE IN TROUBLE ENOUGH WITHOUT DRAGGING ALONG A BEAST-WOMAN!
SHE'S PROBABLY A SPY— TO KEEP TRACK OF US!
YOU'RE WRONG! SHE WANTS TO GO WITH ME!
TARZAN! TALK SOME SENSE INTO—
THEY HAVE MADE THEIR DECISION! WE GO THIS WAY... QUICKLY!
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JUMP! YOU CAN MAKE IT... BUT THE BEASTMEN CANNOT ...IF THEY TRACE US THIS FAR!
WHERE ARE WE, TARZAN?
SO DARK... CAN'T MAKE OUT A THING—!
WE'RE PASSING THROUGH A... STORAGE VAULT... DEEP BENEATH OPAR!
NOW WE MUST BE-WARE OF THE BEASTMEN! THEY WILL BE GUARDING THE TRAIL TO THE OUTSIDE WORLD!
THIS CAN'T BE THE WAY WE WENT UP—!
NO! BEASTMEN DON'T THINK THIS CLIFF CAN BE CLIMBED!
AT THE BASE OF THE TOWERING CRAGS...
HOW MUCH FURTHER NOW, TARZAN?
WE'LL BE OUT OF THIS SWAMP SOME TIME TOMORROW!
TARZAN—!!
GREAT APES...THE TRIBE OF KURCHAK! RELAX...THEY WILL NOT HARM YOU!
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RAAAGH!!
HO, MANGANI! TARZAN YO!
UNK, TARZAN! KURCHAK KOB!
SOMETHING IS WRONG! KURCHAK'S TRIBE IS SURLY... AND SUSPICIOUS, EVEN OF ME!
G-GOOD LORD, MAN! WERE YOU TALKING TO THOSE GORILLAS?
NOT GORILLAS! THEY ARE GREAT APES... A SEPARATE SPECIES!
SOMEONE'S BEEN MIS-TREATING THEM! WE'RE STILL IN BEASTMAN JUNGLE! PERHAPS THEY'VE—
EEE-YIII!
KREEGAH!!
NO-! NOT JUST WHEN WE'RE ALMOST FREE—!
MANGANI! YUD TARZAN YO! (GREAT APES! COME TO TARZAN!)
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THERE'S TOO MANY, TARZAN!
THEY'LL MASSACRE US!
KEEP FIGHTING!
YUD MANGANI!
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YAD! TARZAN CALLS!
TARZAN BUNDOLO! HE FIGHTS THE NAKED APES WHO HURT US!
BUNDOLO!
TARZAN CALLS!
BUNDOLO TAR-MANGANI! TARZAN FIGHTS OUR ENEMIES—!
HE CALLS US TO FIGHT!
BUNDOLO!
BUNDOLO!
THE GREAT APES SLAM INTO BATTLE, THEIR SAVAGE SCREAMS ECHOING THE APE-MAN'S SNARL! ONCE AGAIN, THE BEASTS OF TARZAN HAVE ANSWERED HIS CALL!
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VANDO, MANGANI! THE BEAST MEN ARE RUNNING!
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AAEEIIIOO
WITH THE BEASTMEN DEAD AT THEIR FEET, OR FLEEING IN PANIC, TARZAN AND THE GREAT APES SCREAM THEIR WILD AND TERRIBLE VICTORY CRY!
TH-THE GUY'S NOT HUMAN!
BOBBY! BOBBY—! TARZAN! WHERE'S MY SON?
KURCHAK! YATO TAR-MANGANI YO?
RAK! SORD TAR-MANGANI REM MU! GOM!
A BEASTMAN TOOK THE GIRL... BOBBY CHASED THEM! THIS WAY!
NO...NO-!

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THE GORGE OF THE N'DUI RIVER!
WHAT—? WHERE ARE WE?
THERE'S THE TRACKS OF THE BEASTMAN CARRYING THE GIRL... AND BOBBY'S BOOT PRINTS...LEADING TO THE EDGE!
WITH NONE RETURNING!
BOBBY MUST HAVE CAUGHT THE BEASTMAN ABOUT TO THROW THE GIRL INTO THE RIVER!
TH-THEY WENT— OVER?!
...AND THE GIRL WITH THEM!
THAT BLASTED GIRL! I SHOULD HAVE GOTTEN RID OF HER SOMEHOW! MY SON WOULD STILL BE ALIVE!
WHY DIDN'T YOU SAY THE WORD, BRAXTON? I'D HAVE TAKEN HER OFF HIS HANDS...
I GAVE BOBBY EVERYTHING! BUT THE YOUNG FOOL STARTED SNEERING AT EVERY-THING I BELIEVE IN! TWENTY YEARS OF MY TIME AND PLANS... WASTED!
PERHAPS YOUR SON SURVIVED THE FALL...AND FLOATED DOWNRIVER!
YOU MEAN THERE'S A CHANCE? COME ON!
ALONE, THE JUNGLE LORD BENDS FOR A CLOSE SCRUTINY OF THE TRACKS... AND STIFFENS IN SURPRISE!
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AS BRAXTON AND CRAGGER RUSH DOWN-STREAM IN HOPE OF SAVING BOBBY, TARZAN STUDIES A SET OF FOOTPRINTS...
BOBBY! I KNOW YOU CAN SEE AND HEAR ME!
JUST AS YOU SAW AND HEARD WHAT HAPPENED WHEN YOU TRICKED YOUR FATHER INTO BELIEVING YOU FELL INTO THE RIVER CHASM!
BUT TARZAN KNOWS BETTER! YOUR TRACKS SHOW THAT YOU WALKED BACKWARDS IN YOUR OWN FOOTSTEPS... AND CARRIED THE GIRL AWAY WITH YOU!
THE BEASTMAN FELL INTO THE GORGE!
BUT YOU AND RO-ZA ARE HIDING! WHY—?
HAVE YOU DONE THIS STRANGE THING TO BE FREE OF YOUR FATHER? JUST AS HE SHOWS HIS LOVE FOR YOU IN STRANGE WAYS?
SILENCE!? SO BE IT!
EACH BIRD BUILDS HIS OWN NEST! I WILL NOT EXPOSE YOU!
BY NIGHTFALL, YOU CAN REACH THE WAZIRI VILLAGE UP-RIVER!
I WILL GUIDE YOUR FATHER TO CIVILIZATION!
LIFE IS SHORT! DO NOT WAIT TOO LONG TO MAKE YOUR PEACE WITH HIM!
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THERE'S THE VILLAGE, RO-ZA! I'M FREE! FROM NOW ON, I'M GOING TO SAY WHAT I DO, NOT DAD!
VREE? RO-ZA ATAN GOGO JAR!
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SATISFIED THAT BOBBY AND RO-ZA WILL SOON BE IN SAFE HANDS, TARZAN SWINGS DOWNSTREAM...
HE FINDS BRAXTON AND CRAGGER REUNITED WITH THEIR SAFARI PORTERS!
NO SIGN OF BOBBY! BUT I'M NOT GIVING UP! I'LL GET A THOUSAND NATIVES... WE'LL SEARCH EVERY INCH OF THIS RIVER UNTIL—
NO! IF YOUR SON IS STILL IN MY JUNGLE, I WILL FIND HIM! YOU WILL LEAVE IMMEDIATELY!
WHAT? YOU FORGOT THAT THOSE BEASTMEN ARE THE DESCENDANTS OF ATLANTIS??
...AND STILL UNKNOWN TO SCIENCE? THE WORLD'LL GO CRAZY WHEN WE TELL THEM! WE'LL BE MILLIONAIRES ...BILLIONAIRES!!
WITHOUT PROOF, YOU WOULD ONLY BE LAUGHED AT! THE BEASTMEN OF OPAR WOULD JOIN THE ABOMINABLE SNOWMAN AND THE LOCHNESS MONSTER... LEGENDS THAT SOMEHOW ALWAYS ESCAPE PROOF! I WILL SEE TO THAT!
ONLY TARZAN... AND THE PEOPLE OF HIS JUNGLE... DECIDE WHAT PART OF CIVILIZATION MAY ENTER HERE!
YOU ARE FORBIDDEN EVER TO RETURN! GO!
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CIVILIZATION... GRASPING, DESTROYING! ...AS STUBBORN AS THE JUNGLE ITSELF! ONCE AGAIN I'VE BEAT IT BACK... BUT ONLY FOR AWHILE!

UAH! WHAT'S THAT NOISE-

FROM UP RIVER... COMING THIS WAY FAST! IT SOUNDS LIKE-

EEEEEEEEEE!

TANTOR! SCREAMING IN FEAR AND DISPAIR! THEY'VE *LOST* SOMETHING!! ...IN THE RIVER?

A BABY ELEPHANT! IT'LL NEVER MAKE IT WITHOUT HELP!

EASY LITTLE FELLOW! I'LL HELP YOU!

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POUNDED AND BUFFETED, TARZAN AND THE BABY ELEPHANT CAROM THROUGH THE RAPIDS...

...WHILE ON THE RIVER BANK HIGH ABOVE, THE DISTRAUGHT MOTHER AND HERD KEEP PACE!

EVERY JUNGLE-FORGED MUSCLE STRAINING TO DODGE HIDDEN ROCKS, THE JUNGLE LORD STRUGGLES TO REACH CALM WATER!

TANTOR! REM! BEND DOWN! CATCH US!

HA! YOUR LITTLE ONE *ENJOYED* HIS RIDE, TANTA! BETTER HOLD HIM UNTIL YOU'RE *FAR* FROM THE RIVER!

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WEARY FROM DAYS OF BATTLE, TARZAN HEADS TOWARD HIS ESTATE ON TANTOR'S BROAD BACK!

AND AT THE ESTATE...

DOESN'T IT FIT YET, LADY JANE?

ALMOST, OLARI! BUT YOU'LL WANT TO LOOK YOUR VERY BEST AT ABIDAN SCHOOL!

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ABIDAN SCHOOL MUST BE HIGH IN THE *MOUNTAINS!*

... AND GETS VERY *COLD!*

NOW DON'T TEASE! ALL OF THE GIRLS AT ABIDAN DRESS LIKE THIS... VERY SMART AND PRETTY!

I WON'T KNOW *ANYONE* AT THE SCHOOL!

THAT WON'T LAST LONG, OLAKI! THERE'LL BE *MANY* GIRLS WHO WON'T KNOW A SOUL AND ARE JUST *WAITING* TO BE FRIENDS!

CAN'T YOU STAY WITH ME AWHILE AT ABIDAN SCHOOL, LADY JANE?

PERHAPS WE WILL VISIT YOU WHEN TARZAN RETURNS, OLAKI! I *NEED* A TRIP OUTSIDE!

MAYBE SOMEDAY YOU WILL LEARN TO BE JUNGLE PEOPLE, LADY JANE!

I DON'T MIND THE JUNGLE AS MUCH SINCE I'M NO LONGER *TERRIFIED* OF IT, OBALAKI! TARZAN CURED ME OF *THAT!*

TARZAN DID? *HOW?*

YOU'VE NEVER TOLD US HOW YOU MET HIM!

WAS IT EXCITING?

EXCITING? WELL...! ALL RIGHT...JUDGE FOR YOURSELVES!

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"THE FIRST TIME I SAW TARZAN WAS WHEN A HORRIBLE BULL APE... KIDNAPPED ME... AND CARRIED ME OFF INTO THE JUNGLE!

TARZAN SUDDENLY APPEARED... AND FOUGHT THE APE UNTIL HE KILLED IT!

I DIDN'T KNOW WHO HE WAS... WHERE HE *CAME* FROM... OR *ANYTHING* ABOUT HIM!

... AND, AS I FOUND OUT LATER, I WAS THE FIRST GIRL OF HIS RACE HE'D EVER SEEN!"

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HOW DID *YOU* GET THERE IN THE JUNGLE, LADY JANE?

WHY HAD YOU NEVER HEARD OF TARZAN?

WE'VE HEARD STORIES ALMOST ALL OUR LIVES ABOUT TARZAN, THE MIGHTY... WHO LIVED WITH THE APES IN THE JUNGLE! BUT HOW DID *YOU* GET THERE, LADY JANE?

JANE'S STORY: "PERHAPS I'D BETTER START AT THE BEGINNING! I WAS JUST NINETEEN... AND WE WERE ON A TREASURE-HUNTING EXPEDITION, WHEN THE SHIP'S CREW **MUTINIED!**

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THE SAILORS FORCED US... MY FATHER... HIS ASSISTANT... ESMERALDA...AND AN ENGLISHMAN, WILLIAM CLAYTON... ASHORE ON A TERRIBLY LONELY COAST, NEAR A LITTLE OLD CABIN!

STUCK ON THE CABIN DOOR WAS A HAND-PRINTED NOTE...

THIS IS THE HOUSE OF TARZAN, THE KILLER OF BEASTS AND MEN. DO NOT HARM THE THINGS WHICH ARE TARZAN'S. TARZAN WATCHES. TARZAN OF THE APES

WE HAD **NO** IDEA WHO...OR WHAT... TARZAN WAS!

THE SAILORS LEFT US BY THE CABIN WITHOUT FOOD OR WEAPONS... AND WILLIAM CLAYTON CALLED THEM MURDEROUS COWARDS!

HE WAS RIGHT! THE LEADER PULLED HIS PISTOL, TO SHOOT WILLIAM... IN THE **BACK!**

...BUT A SPEAR SEEMED TO COME FROM OUT OF NOWHERE!"

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